# TRAUMA ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING April 5, 2001 M I N U T E S

**Attendees:** Dr. Tim Sturgill Dr. Bob Eisenman Dr. William Teufel

Dr. David Hoyt Mr. Leonard Inch Dr. Ramon Johnson Ms. Virginia Hastings Dr. Jay Goldman Ms. Bonnie Sinz

Ms. Donna Nicolaus Ms. Maureen McNeil

**Absent:** Mr. Blair Sadler Mr. Larry Karsteadt Dr. Judith Brill

Dr. Babatunde Jinadu Ms. Barbara Duffy

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The January 31, 2001 minutes were approved.

### **INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS**

Two new members of the Trauma Advisory Committee were introduced:

- Dr. William Teufel Regional EMS Medical Director for Coastal Valley
- Dr. Bob Eisenman Director, Kaiser Foundation Health Plan & Hospitals

Dr. Teufel will serve as the EMDAC representative and Dr. Eisenman will serve as a hospital representative.

### LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

The Trauma Advisory Group discussed proposed legislation and expressed interest in seeing trauma legislation move forward.

### TRAUMA DATA AD HOC GROUP

Bonnie Sinz reported that an ad hoc group had been established to discuss statewide data collection. Any recommendations from this group will be taken to the Trauma Advisory Group for discussion and approval for further action.

## **CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHETISTS**

The EMS Authority received a public records request from a law firm representing the Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists.

# **CCS APPROVED PICUs**

The group expressed their continued concern regarding CCS approval of PICUs for trauma center designation. The EMS Authority will explore possibilities for a resolution to this issue.

# STATEWIDE TRAUMA SYSTEM

The group reviewed the proposed goals and objectives for a statewide trauma system. These will be discussed in further detail at the next trauma meeting.

# **NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting is scheduled for June 29, 2001, from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., in San Diego at 2060 Dickenson Street, Multiple Purpose Facility, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Department of Surgery, Bloom Conference Room.